



MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
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In re Application of:

VENNEMANN et al.

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is in response to the non-final Office Action dated May 27, 2009 in the above-identified application. The three-month shortened statutory deadline expired August 27, 2009. Accordingly, a Petition for a Two (2)-Month Extension of Time is filed herewith, along with the requisite fee, thereby extending the deadline for filing this Response to October 27, 2009. As such, this Response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 46 of this paper.

A Conclusion appears at page 56 of this paper.